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1. After the TITO conflict, when the Cominform was transferred to BUCHAREST, some offices and their officials were transferred to PRAGUE, particularly those in charge of the following two spheres of activity:

- a. Fight of Communists in capitalist countries of the West.
- b. Support of Communist emigrants from Yugoslavia and Greece.

2. Communist offices in charge of foreign affairs in PRAGUE are located in the following buildings:

a. "PARIS" Hotel, which was confiscated to accommodate both foreign Communists living in PRAGUE and delegates from the individual countries. Stjepan IVANOVIC and Miljutin RASKOVIC, two Yugoslav emigrants, lived there. Two ministers of the Communist Greek Government, Kostas PETROS, Foreign Minister, and PORPHYROGENIS, member of the politbureau of the Communist Party of Greece, who lived in PRAGUE for nearly a year, were also billeted in this hotel until a short time ago.

b. A villa in the "Stare Boleslave" quarter. This villa accommodates foreign Communists.

c. The building of the "Nova Borba", Yugoslav Communist newspaper, on Havlickovo Street.

3. Three members of the Central Committee and delegates of the Central Committee of the Communist Party of Czechoslovakia were ordered to make contacts with foreign Communists:

a. Viljem NOVI, chief editor of the Czech Communist newspaper "Rude Pravo", who attends all meetings of foreign Communists in PRAGUE.

b. GMINER who made it possible for Yugoslav Communists to establish their own organization in Czechoslovakia.

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c. BARNES who directs the editorial staff of the newspaper "Nova Borba" and controls all Cominform publications, particularly those of Greek Communists who have publications printed by the "Svoboda" publishing house in PRAHUE.

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